GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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BLACKLISTED NGOS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has blacklisted some NGOs and stopped their grants;

(b) If so, the names of NGOs blacklisted during 2005;

(c) the average grants/funds provided to these NGOs during the last three years;

(d) whether the Government has also taken any legal action against the persons running these NGOs for misuse of the Government fund; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) The details of NGOs blacklisted during 2005 and funds released to them during last three years are enclosed.

(d) & (e) In such cases, matter is taken up with the State Governments/District Collectors to seize the assets created out of the Government assistance, dispose of the same, deposit the money thus collected with the Government and recover the balance amount as arrears of land revenue